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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE SAME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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Dear Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 24, 2006, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 24, 2006 (Saturday), reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.